

**HOUSEHOLD DATA  
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

**42. Union affiliation of employed wage and salary workers by occupation and industry**

(Numbers in thousands)

Occupation and industry	2000					2001				
	Total em- ployed	Members of unions <sup>1</sup>		Represented by unions <sup>2</sup>		Total em- ployed	Members of unions <sup>1</sup>		Represented by unions <sup>2</sup>	
		Total	Percent of em- ployed	Total	Percent of em- ployed		Total	Percent of em- ployed	Total	Percent of em- ployed
<b>OCCUPATION</b>										
Managerial and professional specialty .....	35,378	4,536	12.8	5,277	14.9	36,276	4,654	12.8	5,355	14.8
Executive, administrative, and managerial .....	16,434	875	5.3	1,075	6.5	16,916	949	5.6	1,133	6.7
Professional specialty .....	18,944	3,661	19.3	4,202	22.2	19,360	3,705	19.1	4,222	21.8
Technical, sales, and administrative support .....	36,124	3,119	8.6	3,521	9.7	35,953	3,193	8.9	3,587	10.0
Technicians and related support .....	4,279	431	10.1	500	11.7	4,393	474	10.8	533	12.1
Sales occupations .....	13,677	481	3.5	533	3.9	13,639	481	3.5	545	4.0
Administrative support, including clerical .....	18,167	2,207	12.1	2,487	13.7	17,921	2,239	12.5	2,509	14.0
Service occupations .....	16,953	2,234	13.2	2,441	14.4	17,156	2,274	13.3	2,464	14.4
Protective service .....	2,384	938	39.4	1,003	42.1	2,460	935	38.0	998	40.6
Service, except protective service .....	14,569	1,295	8.9	1,438	9.9	14,695	1,339	9.1	1,466	10.0
Precision production, craft, and repair .....	12,716	2,783	21.9	2,910	22.9	12,635	2,716	21.5	2,839	22.5
Operators, fabricators, and laborers .....	17,642	3,498	19.8	3,687	20.9	16,888	3,353	19.9	3,534	20.9
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors .....	7,043	1,366	19.4	1,442	20.5	6,502	1,317	20.3	1,383	21.3
Transportation and material moving occupations .....	5,182	1,195	23.1	1,260	24.3	5,153	1,202	23.3	1,276	24.8
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers .....	5,417	938	17.3	984	18.2	5,233	834	15.9	875	16.7
Farming, forestry, and fishing .....	1,974	89	4.5	109	5.5	1,853	85	4.6	96	5.2
<b>INDUSTRY</b>										
Private wage and salary workers .....	101,810	9,148	9.0	9,969	9.8	101,605	9,113	9.0	9,871	9.7
Agriculture .....	1,821	38	2.1	45	2.5	1,667	27	1.6	33	2.0
Nonagricultural industries .....	99,989	9,110	9.1	9,924	9.9	99,938	9,086	9.1	9,838	9.8
Mining .....	499	54	10.9	57	11.4	531	65	12.3	69	12.9
Construction .....	6,666	1,220	18.3	1,268	19.0	6,881	1,264	18.4	1,305	19.0
Manufacturing .....	19,167	2,832	14.8	2,999	15.6	18,149	2,657	14.6	2,807	15.5
Durable goods .....	11,688	1,791	15.3	1,894	16.2	11,059	1,666	15.1	1,757	15.9
Nondurable goods .....	7,480	1,041	13.9	1,105	14.8	7,091	990	14.0	1,050	14.8
Transportation and public utilities .....	7,508	1,805	24.0	1,920	25.6	7,422	1,743	23.5	1,834	24.7
Transportation .....	4,573	1,135	24.8	1,203	26.3	4,441	1,069	24.1	1,126	25.4
Communications and public utilities .....	2,935	670	22.8	717	24.4	2,981	674	22.6	708	23.7
Wholesale and retail trade .....	25,133	1,194	4.7	1,315	5.2	25,045	1,174	4.7	1,284	5.1
Wholesale trade .....	4,766	243	5.1	265	5.6	4,540	249	5.5	268	5.9
Retail trade .....	20,366	951	4.7	1,049	5.2	20,505	926	4.5	1,016	5.0
Finance, insurance, and real estate .....	7,488	121	1.6	156	2.1	7,648	158	2.1	211	2.8
Services .....	33,528	1,884	5.6	2,208	6.6	34,261	2,026	5.9	2,328	6.8
Government workers .....	18,976	7,110	37.5	7,976	42.0	19,155	7,162	37.4	8,004	41.8
Federal .....	3,233	1,033	32.0	1,186	36.7	3,284	1,037	31.6	1,201	36.6
State .....	5,464	1,641	30.0	1,867	34.2	5,677	1,732	30.5	1,957	34.5
Local .....	10,278	4,436	43.2	4,923	47.9	10,195	4,393	43.1	4,847	47.5

<sup>1</sup> Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union.

<sup>2</sup> Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union as well as workers who report no union affiliation but whose

jobs are covered by a union or an employee association contract.

NOTE: Data refer to the sole or principal job of full- and part-time workers. Excluded are all self-employed workers regardless of whether or not their businesses are incorporated.